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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR AUTONOMICALLY DETECTING RESOURCES IN A LOGICALLY PARTITIONED COMPUTER SYSTEM

ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE: ARMONK, NEW YORK

Enclosed are:

27 Pages of Specification and 1 Abstract

6 Sheets of Drawings

A Declaration and Power of Attorney

An Information Disclosure Statement and form PTO/SB/08A

A certified copy of foreign application

An Assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk,

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